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CC: Mrzljak, Ashley [Mrzljak.Ashley@epa.gov]; Yo-Eco, Anabel [Yo-Eco.Anabel@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Exide in SEMS

Not sure what happens in a search, but Gould would appear with the same EPA ID as Exide. I assume it's the case for the SSID too.

@Kevin can you confirm what happens with searches?

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Sounds fine. just one follow up question, will a search for Gould Inc. Metals then show the same EPA ID and SSID number?

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Yes. That is the best option

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Hi all – Kevin and I talked about the Exide site in SEMS, and the best option is to make the Gould Inc Metals site a child site, and rename the site to “Former Exide Technologies Inc.” – so this will be the parent site. Gould Inc Metals has a site schedule and associated documents, we don’t want to lose that history.

Do you all agree? That way we can start moving forward and have a SSID assigned.

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From: Chow, Eugenia <Chow.Eugenia@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, June 28, 2022 2:58 PM
To: Mitguard, Matt <Mitguard.Matt@EPA.GOV>; Castro, Kevin <Castro.Kevin@epa.gov>; Yo-Eco, Anabel <Yo-Eco.Anabel@epa.gov>; Ramirez, Leslie <Ramirez.Leslie@epa.gov>; Mrzljak, Ashley <Mrzljak.Ashley@epa.gov>
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Subject: RE: IA dollars_EXIDE

Thanks for confirming Matt. Kevin, please go ahead and update the Exide SEMS entry so that it is consistent w/the RCRA name/address.

From: Mitguard, Matt <Mitguard.Matt@EPA.GOV>
Sent: Tuesday, June 28, 2022 12:50 PM
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This is definitely the former exide business office



From: Chow, Eugenia <Chow.Eugenia@epa.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, June 28, 2022 12:37 PM

To: Castro, Kevin <Castro.Kevin@epa.gov>; Yo-Eco, Anabel <Yo-Eco.Anabel@epa.gov>; Ramirez, Leslie <Ramirez.Leslie@epa.gov>; Mrzljak, Ashley <Mrzljak.Ashley@epa.gov>

Cc: Poalinelli, Edwin <POALINELLI.EDWIN@EPA.GOV>; Mitguard, Matt <Mitguard.Matt@EPA.GOV>

Subject: RE: IA dollars_EXIDE

Thanks Kevin, sounds fine as long as it has been confirmed that Gould Metals is definitely the same site as Exide. Was the difference in address just the zip code and "South" Indiana St.?

Eugenia

From: Castro, Kevin <Castro.Kevin@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, June 28, 2022 11:58 AM
To: Yo-Eco, Anabel <Yo-Eco.Anabel@epa.gov>
Cc: Chow, Eugenia <Chow.Eugenia@epa.gov>; Poalinelli, Edwin <POALINELLI.EDWIN@EPA.GOV>
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Sorry, I forgot to include the screenshot of SEMS...🙄

Site Information | Site Description | Site Type/Incident | Site Spill ID/Alias/Child Site | Site Location | Site Contact(s) | Federal Register | Site Cor

General Information

Region: Region 9 Site ID: 0901691 EPA ID: CAD097854541

* Site Name: GOULD INC METALS DIV LA SMELTER

* Address: 2700 INDIANA ST

* City/State/Zip: LOS ANGELES California 90023 ☐ No Zip Code Exists

County: 06037 LOS ANGELES Primary Site Spill ID (SSID): -- Select --

State Region: DTSC 3 Boundary (Acres): N/A

Primary Section: Unassigned

Site Profile Page URL: www.epa.gov/superfund/
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	Program Type	Site Name	Program ID	EPA ID	Associated Date
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RCRA	EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES INCORPORATED	CAD097854541	0RCRA0910244	...

Site Type/ Incident Category

Site Incident Category: ----- Please Select -----

* Primary Site Type: ----- Please Select ----- 'Other' Name: _____

From: Castro, Kevin
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Cc: Chow, Eugenia <Chow.Eugenia@epa.gov>; Poalinelli, Edwin <POALINELLI.EDWIN@EPA.GOV>
Subject: RE: IA dollars_EXIDE

Hi Anabel,

Since this is being considered for listing, we should create a new SSID. The site name in SEMS is actually GOULD INC METALS DIV LA SMELTER, but I would propose that we change it to match the RCRAInfo Name (EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES INCORPORATED), since they have a more recent reporting filed with EPA (RCRA Biennial Report with Notification). Also the address in SEMS is off, so we'll need to update it as well. I will update SEMS, but let me get the go ahead from Eugenia before I do that. For the SSID creation, let's go ahead and use the following info below (should be the correct one that matches RCRAInfo):

Site Name: **EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES INCORPORATED**
EPA ID #: **CAD 097 854 541**
Address: **2700 SOUTH INDIANA STREET**

VERNON, CA 90058

Please let me know if you need any additional info.

Thanks,
Kevin

From: Yo-Eco, Anabel <Yo-Eco.Anabel@epa.gov>
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To: Castro, Kevin <Castro.Kevin@epa.gov>
Cc: Chow, Eugenia <Chow.Eugenia@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: IA dollars_EXIDE

Hello Kevin,

Do we have an assigned SSID for Exide site?

From: Lyons, John <Lyons.John@epa.gov>
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To: Yo-Eco, Anabel <Yo-Eco.Anabel@epa.gov>
Cc: Barton, Dana <Barton.Dana@epa.gov>; Chow, Eugenia <Chow.Eugenia@epa.gov>; Duncan, Will (he/him) <Duncan.Will@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: IA dollars

Hi Anabel,

Now that the State has indicated that it is going to request that the Exide site be considered for listing, I am approving an additional FY 22 Pipeline Allocation for Site Assessment of \$500,000 for Site Assessment work on evaluating the Exide site for NPL listing. Please work with Eugenia re: which vehicle/task this allocation will go to.

Thanks
John

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From: Chow, Eugenia <Chow.Eugenia@epa.gov>
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To: Lyons, John <Lyons.John@epa.gov>
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Subject: RE: IA dollars

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Let me know what you think,
Thanks
John

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From: Chow, Eugenia <Chow.Eugenia@epa.gov>
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Subject: FW: IA dollars

John,

This was the estimate we had earlier this month. It is preliminary given that we don't know how much additional data may need to be gathered.

Eugenia

From: Chow, Eugenia
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Subject: IA dollars

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